



CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE COST ESTIMATE

November 29, 2005

H.R. 4192

**A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to designate the
President William Jefferson Clinton Birthplace Home in Hope,
Arkansas, as a National Historic Site and unit of the
National Park System**

As ordered reported by the House Committee on Resources on November 16, 2005

H.R. 4192 would direct the National Park Service (NPS) to designate the William Jefferson Clinton Birthplace Home in Arkansas as a national historic site if the Clinton Birthplace Foundation donates the house and related property to the federal government.

Based on information provided by the NPS, CBO expects that the federal government would accept donation of the Clinton home and other property in fiscal year 2006. We estimate that the costs of preparing and operating the site as a unit of the National Park System would be about \$1 million a year, assuming the availability of appropriated funds. Enacting H.R. 4192 would not affect direct spending or revenues.

The bill contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would have no significant impact on the budgets of state, local, or tribal governments.

The CBO staff contact for this estimate is Deborah Reis. This estimate was approved by Peter H. Fontaine, Deputy Assistant Director for Budget Analysis.